



Restora Branstetter Privett

August 21, 1910 - May 11, 2015

Restora Branstetter Privett, age 104, of Bowling Green, passed away Monday, May 11, 2015 at Lynn's Heritage House in Louisiana. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 am on Saturday, May 16, at the Bowling Green Presbyterian Church with Rev. Joe Siefkas and Rev. Randall Cone officiating. Burial will be in the Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 4:00 pm until 7:00 pm on Friday at the Bibb-Veach Funeral Homes in Bowling Green.

She was born August 21, 1910 in Curryville, the daughter of Frank Turner and Bertha Mae Henderson Branstetter. She married Joe E. Privett April 1, 1931 in Troy, MO. He preceded her in death July 5, 1972.

Survivors include son William F. Privett of Elmhurst, IL; daughters Elaine Privett Niemeyer (Marcine) of Bowling Green, and Linda Privett Akers (Bill) of Columbia; Grandchildren Mark Niemeyer (Bonnie) of Forsyth, IL, Earl Niemeyer (Shari) of Bowling Green, Mel Niemeyer of Hinsdale, IL, Jay Niemeyer of Columbia, Lee Akers (Molly) Shelbyville, KY, Tod Privett (Mary) Elmhurst, IL, Evan Privett (Nicole) Huntington Beach, CA, Carl Privett of Apex, NC and Joni Pullium (Curt) of Utica, NY. Great Grandchildren Adam Niemeyer, Ryan Niemeyer (Ashley), Scott Niemeyer (Jen Williams), Elizabeth Niemeyer (Justin Edmond), Reed Niemeyer, Lillian Niemeyer, Mara Niemeyer, Christopher Pullium, Jake Privett, Cassidy Privett, Zack Privett, Matthew Privett, Justin Privett, Danjela Privett, Andriana Privett and Steven Privett;

Great Great Grandchildren Jayten Edmond and Adalynn Edmond; brother Sam R. Branstetter of Middletown; son-in-law Bob Lawson of Louisiana; brother-in-law Ed Lawson of Bowling Green; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; daughter Joan P. Lawson; son Bobby L. Privett; grandson Gary Raufer; daughter-in-law Vivian Privett; sisters Velma Wolfender, Beulah Woods, June Johns, Opal Eskew, Lola Mae Lawson, Frances Reading and Dorothy Luebbers; brothers Frank Branstetter; half brothers Paul Branstetter and Basil Branstetter.

Restora grew up on the farm near Curryville and lived in Bowling Green all of her married life until moving to Lynn's Heritage House in Louisiana. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church where she served as a deacon, was a member of the Ergonian Class and baked bread for church communion for 20 years. She was also a member of the Rebeccas, Ashley Study Club, Mothers Club, DAR, Democrat Club, Business and Professional Womans Club and the American Legion Auxiliary. She loved to quilt for her grandchildren and great grandchildren, she enjoyed dancing, playing bridge, canasta, St. Louis Cardinals baseball, Mizzou basketball and making christmas cookies.

Serving as pallbearers will be Mark A. Niemeyer, Earl J. Niemeyer, Mel J. Niemeyer, Jay Niemeyer, Lee W. Akers, Tod Privett, Evan Privett and Carl Privett. Honorary pallbearers will be nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the Bowling Green Presbyterian Church or to the Donors' Choice.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Gardens

Bowling Green, MO 63334

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's & Crematory LLC - Bowling Green

606 West Main Street

Bowling Green, MO 63334

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Service

MAY **16**. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Presbyterian Church

205 W Centennial

Bowling Green, MO 63334

<http://www.bgpresbyterian.info/>

Tribute Wall

MT

“ You have my sincere sympathy and prayers as you are going through this difficult time.

Marilyn Taliaferro - June 23, 2015 at 12:06 PM

TS

“ I will always cherish my childhood memories of the Privett family. Our church has lost a faithful member, Pike County Democrats have lost a loyal supporter and I hope she can listen to her beloved Cardinals in heaven. Restora, may peace be with you!!!

Talley Saucier - June 23, 2015 at 12:06 PM

SO

“ I will always cherish my time spent in the Privett home during my teenage years. Restora was always interested and supportive of our activities. There were always homemade goodies in the kitchen. She dressed to the hilt and ready to go to club meetings, school activities or church gatherings. I loved her smile and motherly advice. Sincere sympathy to the family.

Susie Oberdahlhoff - June 23, 2015 at 12:06 PM

NP

“ Great Grandma was such a remarkable Woman!! We love you!! God Bless you Grandma! I know we will see you again. ❤️

Nicole Spanovich Privett - June 23, 2015 at 12:05 PM

DS

“ To the Privett and Branstetter family -- so very sorry for your loss. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time.

Donna (Jones) Sheets - June 23, 2015 at 12:05 PM

LR

“ I am so sorry to hear of the death of Restora. She had an amazing life but it is always extremely hard to say goodbye to someone so loved. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time.

Linda Smith Roberts - June 23, 2015 at 12:05 PM

PL

“ Our deepest sympathies to the family. Aunt Duchess is together in Heaven with Mom. God Bless the entire family

Paul Luebbers - June 23, 2015 at 12:05 PM

MM

“ Restora was a dear friend and will be truly missed. I will always be thankful for the time we spent together. My deepest condolences to her family

Mary Miller - June 23, 2015 at 12:05 PM

JK

“ Aunt Restora, you were such an important part of my mothers life and of ours. Mom loved you a lot and you filled a great void in her life. We will always love you and deeply miss you. Family of Wilma Privett Frerker.

Jean Frerker Keel - June 23, 2015 at 12:04 PM

AS

“ *It was such an honor to know this wonderful woman! She brought a smile to my face everytime i saw her. I feel privilged to have gotten the chance to know her. May she rest in peace. My condolences are with the family at this time.*

ashley sellers - June 23, 2015 at 12:04 PM